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**RESPONSE UNDER 37 CFR 1.111**

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In response to the Office Action dated August 25, 2006, reconsideration and allowance of the pending claims in light of the remarks presented herein are respectfully requested.

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